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Inventor or Application Identifier:

Mark B. Whipple, et al.

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled:

**NETWORK APPLICATION PROGRAM INTERFACE FACILITATING
COMMUNICATION IN A DISTRIBUTED NETWORK ENVIRONMENT**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification, Claims and Abstract (25 Total Pages)
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- ☒ An Assignment of the invention to i2 Technologies US, Inc. is attached. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.28 and § 3.31 is included with an Assignment recordal fee of \$40.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h).
- ☒ Certificate of Mailing (1 page)
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- ☒ Bibliographic Datasheet (2 pages)
- ☒ This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/225,366 filed August 14, 2000.

Applicant is:

☒ Large Entity
☐ Small Entity

The accompanying application is:

☒ Original
☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-In-Part
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